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FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MONITORING TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS
USING EMBEDDED TEST SIGNALS

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- ☒ 20 pages comprised of 1 cover sheet, 11 pages of specification, 7 pages of claims, and 1 page of abstract
- ☒ Declaration & Power of Attorney
- ☐ Priority Claimed from US Provisional Application No. , filed
- ☐ Certified copy of _____
- ☒ 3 sheets of drawings (FIGS. 1-3)
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to SPX CORPORATION, and the assignment recordation fee.
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